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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 086531-0119

Applicant: Takashi SASAKI et al.

Title: GAS SEPARATOR

Appl. No.: 09/417,918

Filing Date: 10/13/1999

Examiner: Jennifer A. LEUNG

Art Unit: 1764

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALCommissioner for Patents
Box NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.☐ Small Entity statement is enclosed.☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	20	20	0	\$18.00	\$0.00
Independents:	5	5	0	\$84.00	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:				\$280.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:					\$0.00

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$400.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$920.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,440.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$1,960.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$0.00
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$0.00
TOTAL FEE:			\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date October 31, 2002

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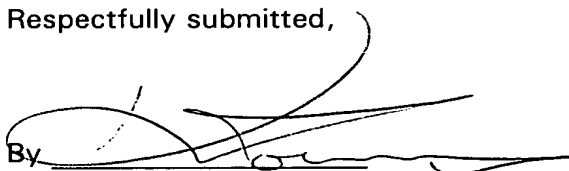
Sir:

Authorization is sought to amend Figs. 6 and 9 in a manner shown in red on the attached sheets. These amendments illustrate the honey-comb and fin members recited in claim 7; add additional lead lines to the numerals 15 in Fig. 9, so that all of the blocking portions are identified to the degree that any possible ambiguity is avoided; and add numerals 5 and 5a to denote the blocks and the gas absorption/releasing material.

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